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Ms. Katherine A. Lose (3HW23) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency 841 Chestnut Building Philadelphia, PA 19107

RE: Standard Chlorine of Delaware, Inc. Superfund Site:
Notice of Decision Not to Use "Special Notice" Procedures
for Negotiations for Remedial Design/Remedial Action (RD/RA)

Dear Ms. Lose:

This letter is in response to the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) November 27, 1995 letter, which was received by Star Enterprise (Star) on December 1, 1995. In that letter, you notified Star of EPA's decision not to use Section 122(e) of CERCLA for the RD/RA. The letter also requested that Star provide a letter stating its interest in participating in the RD/RA

Star denies it has any responsibility in the Standard Chlorine Superfund Site release of material that occurred at that site in 1986, or the potentially ongoing migration of the contamination. Nevertheless, Star wishes to work with the EPA in the RD/RA process.

Star will be in contact with you or Ms. Judith R. Hykel in the near future in an effort to discuss this matter further. Any further correspondence regarding this matter should be directed to me at the address on the letterhead. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (713) 874-7059. Star looks forward to working with the EPA to resolve this matter in an expeditious manner.

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cc: Judith R. Hykel

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